



**Press release**

## **BIPEA OFFERED A NEW PROFICIENCY TEST IN THE FIELD OF HONEY**

**TRACE ELEMENTS – HONEY**

**2023,**

BIPEA launched a new interlaboratory test (PTS 32H) that allowed testing laboratories to assess their analytical performance by analyzing trace elements in a sample of honey.

For this test, the laboratories received a sample of 500 ml and were able to analyze the following parameters using the usual methods: dry matter, aluminum, arsenic, cadmium, chromium, cobalt, tin, fluorine, iodine, manganese, mercury, molybdenum, nickel, lead, selenium, titanium, copper and iron.

This PTS registered 11 participants from 5 different countries.

For more than 50 years, BIPEA has provided a wide range of proficiency tests and external reference materials for testing laboratories concerned by quality control and analytical accuracy in various fields (environment, food, cosmetics, pharmaceuticals).

To learn more about the "PTS 32H – Trace Elements - Honey", as well as the full range of interlaboratory tests, please feel free to contact BIPEA:

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